

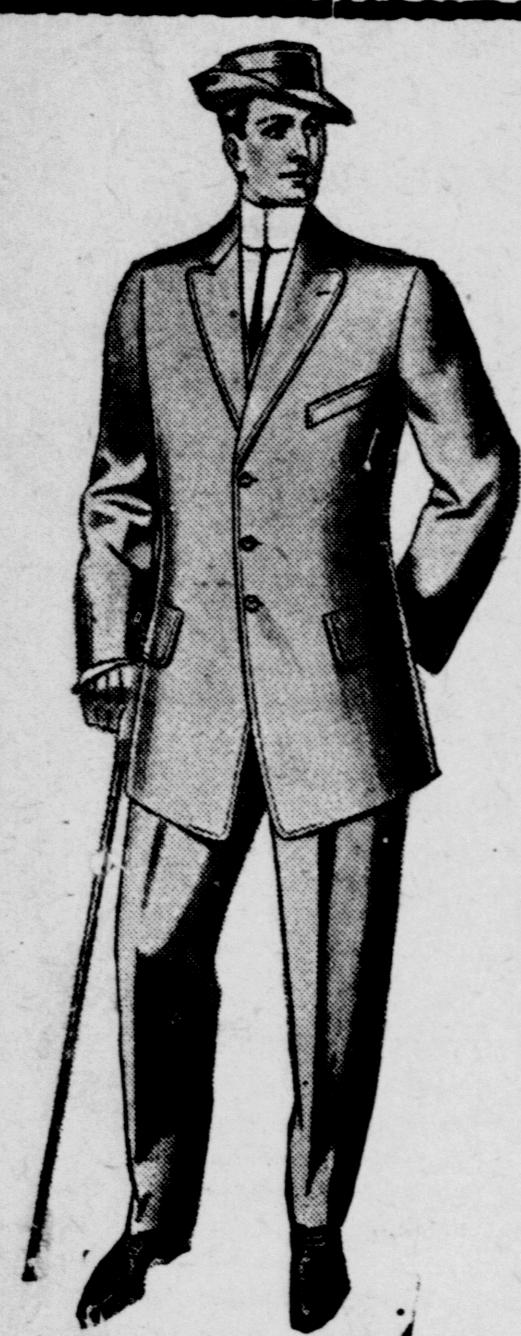
THE EVENING NEWS

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Some Clothes

look as if cloth, thread, lining, buttons and a pinch of salt had been thrown into a hopper and allowed to assemble. At least they look that way after they're a week old. Not so with ours.

Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes

or "Spero-Michael & Son's Clothes." These clothes are first designed by experts, then cut by experienced workmen and stitched by ten fingers that know how. The result is, garments that are stylish, shapely and that give lasting, permanent satisfaction. ISN'T THAT THE KIND OF A SUIT YOU'D WANT and the price is no greater than you'd pay for garments of inferior quality. Come and make us prove it.

**Suits \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$20 and up to \$30
Overcoats and Cravatines from \$8 to \$22.50**

For The Little Fellows

we have the very best the market affords. Long pants suits for boy's; Knickerbocker Suits and Bloomer Suits for the little chaps—all especially, durable qualities made by the Widow Jones of Boston. Every garment bearing the Widow Jones photo means a guarantee, if not satisfied your money back at any time.

Suits from \$2.50 to \$12.50

We invite you to call and see our line of goods whether you buy or not
::: Your Money Back at Any Time If You Are Dissatisfied :::

John B. Stetson
and Knox Hats
Manhattan Shirts,
Carhartt Overalls

I. Harris

THE HOME OF HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES

SHOES
W. L. Douglas,
Burt & Packard,
Warranted not to break
Hanan & Sons,
Walk-Overs

WITH THE CITY COUNCILMEN

THE PRESENT WATER SITUATION
AND FUTURE WATER SUPPLY
FOR CITY THE SUBJECT.

At the meeting of the city council last night the water problem was about the only matter considered by the body.

A proposal from a medicine vendor to sell his remedies on the streets of the city was tabled, and a communication from a company wanting to supply the city with water from deep wells was read, after a few bills were allowed, and then the engineers' estimate on the cost of bringing the Byrd's Mill water to Ada was received.

The preliminary estimates as compiled by City Engineer Ekman and Engineer Goodwin of Kansas City, placed the approximate cost of obtaining this water at \$145,007.00, which would call for a bond issue of \$150,000.00.

Mr. Goodwin was called upon for his opinion of the proposition. He discussed the cost and utility of the different piping, wood, concrete, steel and cast iron and advised the council to ask for bids on several different kinds. He thinks the water can, beyond a doubt, be brought here from Byrd's Mill by means of the hydraulic ram. Two rams at the mill will pump one million gallons per day, while to double the number of rams means a like increase in the

number of gallons of water. Then should the city grow to that extent where it would require more water than the hydraulic rams could supply, electric, gas or steam engines could be installed.

Altogether he was of the opinion that the Byrd's Mill proposition, is practical, economical and a sure way of obtaining an adequate, never-failing supply of good water.

The council then went into executive session, and passed an ordinance for the mayor to issue a proclamation calling for the election on a \$150,000 water bond issue on the twenty-third of December.

A motion to cut off the mills, gins, railroads, cement plant and all other machinery using a great deal of water from the city supply at six o'clock this afternoon carried. This action was necessary from the fact that the present amount of water in the reservoir is hardly sufficient to last much over fifteen days at the present rate of consumption. This being exhausted the city faces a water famine.

Notice to Tax Payers.
You are hereby reminded that your tax is now due and if the first half is not paid by the 31st of December all will be due January 1st, 1911. Your sewerage tax will all have to be paid by Dec. 15. You better get busy before the delinquent time comes. We can wait on every body at once.

J. C. CATES, County Treasurer.
201-2nd

EDMOND PREPARING FOR COMMISSION GOVERNMENT

Edmond, Okla., Nov. 28.—With more than two hundred signatures, the petition asking for the commission form of government in Edmond will be presented to Earl Hopkin, acting mayor, this morning. There are 289 legal voters in Edmond.

Definite action as to when the petition should be presented to the acting mayor was taken at an enthusiastic meeting of the civic league in the Baptist church tonight. The auditorium was crowded with people eager to do everything in their power to advance the interests of the city, probably fifty people being unable to find seats.

More than \$200 was raised by popular subscription to pay the expenses of a campaign for commission government.

W. C. T. U. Meet.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its regular meeting tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. C. Rowl.

You Carry Insurance

On Your Life On Your Property

Why not insure yourself against adversity in the future, by depositing your hard-earned dollars in a Safe Bank.

The deposits of this bank have now reached the amount of \$135,000.00. We have a long list of well-satisfied customers. If you are not at present a patron of this bank, please consider this a personal invitation to make this your banking home in the future.

YOUR DEPOSITS are insured by the Oklahoma Guaranty Law

**M. & P.
STATE BANK
ADA, OKLAHOMA**

ENGINEER'S PLANS FOR WATERWORKS

WHAT WILL BE REQUIRED IN THE BYRD'S MILL EXPANSION.

The plans of the engineer contemplate the laying of a 12-inch steel or cast iron pipe from the Byrd's Mill spring to the Ada standpipe about thirteen miles in all. The water will be taken from the spring and run through a flume for about 2,500 feet. This will give it a fall of about fifty feet and be sufficient to give ample pressure for the two hydraulic rams which will be used in driving the water through the mains to Ada. The pipe will withstand a pressure of 500 pounds to the square inch, although there will not be over 200 pounds while two rams are being used. If steel piping is used it will require 1,800,000 lbs. of the material. If it should be found more advisable to use cast iron piping, it will require 7,000,000 pounds of that material for the line.

Two hydraulic rams will pump 1,200,000 gallons per day, but when the occasion demands three more can be installed and more than 2,000,000 gallons per day pumped. Estimating the consumption of water at 100 gallons per capita, this would supply a population of 20,000.

After a careful investigation the engineers estimate the cost of the line at around \$150,000. However, it should be borne in mind that this contemplates putting in a system that will be ample for the needs of the town for all time to come, and not require any more expenditures for enlarging it later. As the rams will be self-operating, very little expense will be attached to the operation of the system when once installed.

**27x54 Axminster Rugs
Special \$1.75**

SPEAKER ANTHONY NAMES EMPLOYEES

Oklahoma City, Nov. 28.—Speaker Anthony announced the following appointments of House employees: Rev. H. G. Snodgrass, Tulsa, chaplain; Miss Jeannette Collar, Guthrie, stenographer to speaker and clerk of committee on capital location; Seth Ledbetter, Ardmore, postmaster; Randolph Cobb of Wewoka, Freeman Gault, Ardmore, pages; Andrew Woods, Guthrie, and Louis Loeffler, Oklahoma City, official reporters; Dan Dye, Guthrie, and J. B. Meacham, Kiowa, engrossing and enrolling clerk W. F. Durham, Tecumseh, legal clerk and proofreader of bills; C. H. Pittman, Oklahoma City, chief clerk; Albert Shields, Enid, assistant and calendar clerk, N. A. Gordon, Oklahoma City, reading clerk; E. F. Zumwalt, Frederick, journal clerk; J. C. Boucher, Ardmore, and W. J. Harding, Potawatomi county, doorkeepers.

Both house and senate adopted a resolution by Senator Goulding instructing the sergeants-at-arms to bring to Oklahoma City from Guthrie the furniture and typewriters used for legislative sessions. Removal of the property by a state official is prohibited in the injunction issued by the Logan county district court, and which the supreme court sustained. But it can not be made to run against the officers of the legislature.

Complimentary tickets to the theater were distributed to members of the legislature tonight, and they witnessed a performance of "The House of a Thousand Candles."

SMITH'S 203-5 W MAIN ST.

Boys Find Missing Safe.

Muskogee, Ok., Nov. 28.—The iron safe containing \$16,000, which disappeared from the substation of the Wells-Fargo Express Company here some time Saturday night, was found today by two boys who were playing in a yard. It was hidden under an old porch. The safe was taken to police station and then to the express office, where it was opened in the presence of Superintendent A. T. Payne of Oklahoma City.

All the money was in the safe and not a penny was missing.

F. C. Givens, acting agent of the Midland Valley railroad company; O. C. Sensbaugh, a messenger of the express company, and W. H. Kelsey, a driver, who were arrested in connection with the case, were today arraigned before a Justice of the Peace and pleaded not guilty. Another arrest was made this afternoon. All of the men protest their innocence.

Tax Payments Coming In

The county treasurer reports that tax payments are rapidly increasing now. Collections range from \$400 to \$500 per day.

SEMINOLE NEGROES KILL EACH OTHER

BAD NEGROES USE GUNS WITH TELLING EFFECT.

Shawnee, Okla., Nov. 28.—Ex-chief of police, Frank Grall, who now is a farmer near Seminole, was in the city last night and brought the news of a double killing of two tough negroes near Wewoka Sunday night. The affair occurred between Frank Bruner and Eli Barrymore resulting in the killing of Bruner by Barrymore and the death of Barrymore from a pistol shot from Bruner as soon as he was conveyed to Wewoka. These men had for a long time held a grudge against each other, and both were in Wewoka Sunday night. Bruner started off with the avowed intention of going to a celebrated tough gambling resort situated on Nigger Creek about four miles from Wewoka knowing that in all probability Barrymore would follow him. He concealed himself by the way side and when Barrymore came along he shot him through the side upon which Barrymore fell apparently dead. Bruner thought he had killed him, and came and stood over the fallen man who instantly raised his gun and shot his enemy through the body, killing him instantly. Barrymore was found by

Barrymore was found by reason of the report of the guns and was taken to Wewoka where he immediately died. These men bore very bad reputations. Bruner being under indictment of the grand jury for killing his child, and also with two indictments against him for bootlegging. Barrymore had one indictment against him for assault and two for bootlegging. They were classed as very undesirable citizens.

ANOTHER CHANCE TO REMEMBER THE ORPHANS

The Baptist ladies are preparing a box for the Orphan's Home in Oklahoma City. Many have contributed liberally and they have a nice collection, but the box is not full yet, and they wish to say to their friends who might wish to have a part in this gift, that the box will remain open until Thursday. Those desiring to contribute, may send their donation to Mrs. Stubblefield's or bring it to prayer meeting Wednesday night.

Many Mortgages Released.

Register of Deeds Hargis states that this has been a record-breaking year for lifting mortgages. For sometime past from 50 to 75 per day have been released by the register and more are coming. He says there is no way of estimating just how many have really been paid, for very often a man will carry an order for a release in his pocket for a month before thinking to bring it.

TO REDUCE STOCK.

We will sell clean nut coal at \$4.00 per ton delivered. Phone Ada Ice and Fuel Co. No. 29. 201-2nd

When You Call on Her Sunday Evening

and little brother or sister insist on doing a little entertainment stunt of their own for your benefit, a small box of candy and a suggestion to run away and play will work wonders for your piece of mind and

A Large Box of Candy

for her is a remembrance sure to be appreciated. We have a fine line of candies in boxes, consisting of chocolates and bonbons, and assorted nut chocolates. Buy a box, try them—we will leave it to you—if they are not good we will not keep your money.

E. E. Fowler, Druggist
PHONE 44

Special Sale on Chinaware

In order to make room for a large shipment of cut glass, I will sell All Hand Painted Chinaware in Stock at a sacrifice.

Now is your chance to get something nice at a small cost. Have just received the latest in

Glassware—Call to see it

A. D. COON, Jeweler and Optometrist.

MRS. A. D. COON, Prop.

LETTERS AND CLOTHES
No. 26

McGraw Smith & Co.

**The apparel of
proclaims the man**

and you pay a lot
of money for your
clothes so you
will look right.

Gwin & Mays Co.
The Rexall Store

In letter writing people judge you by your stationery. Make sure that it is just right by buying it at our store. Our stationery is in good taste. This won't cost you any more at our store than the other kind somewhere else. All it costs is just the good judgment to buy from us.

**YOUR DEPOSITS
are insured by the Oklahoma Guaranty Law**

**M. & P.
STATE BANK
ADA, OKLAHOMA**

THE LADIES SPECIALTY STORE
"Watch Us Grow"

FARMERS BUSINESS WITH FARMERS STATE BANK....

One sure way to have money is to save it, and to save it is by depositing it in our Bank.

We want your banking business.....

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture. G. H. Keen went to Roff on business today.

B. A. Mason went to Sprague on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Manson visited in Tupelo today.

Tickets for Schubert concert on sale at Ramsey's.

RAGS WANTED—Will pay cash for large clean cotton rags. News Office.

Velvetina Vanishing Cream, does not cause superfluous hair. 50c at Ramsey's.

A specialty of 35c sheer linen now to be had at 24c per yard at the Grand Leader.

Mrs. E. E. Fowler has returned from Oklahoma City where she visited her mother.

William Bradberry who has been here on business returned to Wewoka this morning.

Mrs. E. E. Sowers of Denison, who is visiting Mrs. M. L. Sowers will return home tomorrow.

John B. Stetson and Knox Hats

Manhattan velvet Toilet

for sale at the Ramsey Drug Co.

196-tf

Monday evening, Dec. 5, is the date set for the Schubert concert. One of the best entertainments of the season.

A nice four-room house to rent. All newly papered rooms, good water. W. H. Nettles at Farmer State Bank.

197-dtf

J. W. Rushton and L. T. Clark, editors of the Stonewall News and Francis' Wigwam, were in town last evening and made the News a short call.

It is beginning to look like old times at the Grand Leader and their force is kept very busy selling lines of merchandise as fast as they arrive.

201-2td

J. B. Foster, one of our readers from Lawrence, was in town today to meet his wife, who has been visiting her sons, Jim and Byrd Smith, and her daughter at Francis. While here Mr. Foster remembered the News with an appreciated call.

25 Men Wanted at Lawrence, Okla., by the Oklahoma Portland Cement Co.

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Korrect Shape

One of our most popular shaped toes.

Perfect Fit

Note foot resting in the shoe. Every toe in its natural position. If you are looking for comfort, wear

Korrect Shape Shoes

And think of it. We even guarantee our Burro-japs patent and dull leathers.

BURT & PACKARD CO.

Makers

BROCKTON, MASS.

SOLD BY

I. HARRIS

Ada, Okla.

PASTIME PHOTOPLAY THEATER

We Bring the World to Your Door

To-Night's Photoplays

THE WARNER KIDS
Vaudeville
Entire change of acts. Good Dancing and Singing. Funny Sketches.

New Photoplays
"A Victim of Hate," an eastern social classic drama.

"The Moving Picture Man," one of those funny pictures that will cause you to laugh in your sleep.

I. Hodge went to Konawa yesterday on a visit.

B. F. Thomas of Frisco, was in town yesterday.

Velvetina Massage Cream—a skin treatment, 50c at Ramsey's. 196-tf

W. N. Moore of Ardmore, is here on business for the next ten days.

RAGS WANTED—Will pay cash for large clean cotton rags. News Office.

C. H. Henley, Jim Writer, and Geo. Jones were here from Konawa yesterday.

All kinds of new novelties in neckwear, belts, and combs at the Grand Leader. 201-2td

Every new shape and style in neck furs and muffs at the Grand Leader. 201-2td

Mrs. Gale Statler and Miss Sallie Driver returned from Stonewall yesterday afternoon.

Miss Sallie Martin returned from Hickory yesterday afternoon where she went on a visit home.

Mrs. Atwood of Atwood, who has been visiting Mrs. M. B. Donaghay, returned home yesterday afternoon.

How long since you gave your wife a box of candy? Get Jacob's at THE BUSY DRUG STORE—Gwin & Mays Co.

Mrs. Ed Brents has returned from Gainesville where she has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Belle Darnell.

Jose Travenia's Mexican Chili at—

—10c—

The Busy Drug Store—Gwin & Mays 199-7t Company.

G. W. Garner, R. E. Hodges, A. J. Paine, Charlie Baugh and W. H. H. Baker were among the business callers from Francis yesterday.

Rooms at Central hotel, 12th street for rent. Furnished or unfurnished with electric lights. Plenty of water handy. W. C. Cummings, Prop. of Hotel. 200-tfd

Mrs. M. G. Meadows state manager of the W. O. W. Circle who was present yesterday afternoon and last night at the Circle's entertainment left for Oklahoma City this morning.

M. J. Bentley of Shawnee, was here this morning on his way to Fitzhugh where he is making some farm improvements. Mr. C. C. Smith of Washington, D. C., accompanied him from here to Fitzhugh.

J. N. Saunders and little son, J. R. Saunders of Tulsa, returned home this morning. Mr. Saunders will open a school of music here next week. He has already twenty three schools in Oklahoma and Kansas.

The Schubert Symphony Company will give one of their celebrated concerts at the city hall Monday evening. This is given under the auspices of the Lady Macabees and half the proceeds will be devoted to the seating of the city hall.

A nice little 40-acre tract of land for sale. Grows fine alfalfa, all under fence, 2 good houses and cribs, also about 65 head of fine Poland China hogs. Will give good terms. Just 6 miles from town. W. H. Nettles, at Farmers State Bank. 194-tfd—33tfw

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Hunters Return

Yesterday a hunting party consisting of Geo. Erwin, Lee Daggs, Jim Whitaker, Bob Ferguson and Henry Stuckey returned from a trip about forty miles east of Stringtown, where they spent sixteen days in the woods.

They killed four deer, a dozen turkeys and caught plenty of fish.

Children take BALLARD'S HORE-HOUND SYRUP willingly because it tastes nice. There isn't a better remedy anywhere for children's coughs, hoarseness and bronchitis.

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Can have the prettiest kind of shoes for \$4.00. In patent leather with velvet or cravatette tops, light, medium and heavy soles. Cap toes--

Comfortable
Fitble
Wearable

CHAPMAN THE SHOE MAN
E. MAIN ADA, OKLA.

Statement showing the condition of the
Oklahoma State Bank
OF ADA, OKLAHOMA,
at the close of business, Nov. 10, 1910

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$ 57,014.49
Overdrafts	135.76
Warrants	10,826.53
Bank Building, Fur. and Fixtures	8,000.00
Advances on cotton	47,706.87
Cash and Exchange	64,279.46
Total	\$111,986.03

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LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$ 25,000.00
Undivided Profits	10,209.04
Bills Payable	10,000.00
Deposits	142,753.77
Total	\$187,962.81

The above statement is correct,
W. D. HAYS, Cashier

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Pianos **Sheet Music**
L. T. WALTERS
Wall Paper

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DOLE'S PINEAPPLE JUICE

Dispensed at all the leading fountains. Made from pure pineapple juice only, pressed from ripe Hawaiian pineapples, where the fruit is grown. Take a bottle home. You will like it.

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That
Insures

We represent only
old line companies

Weaver Agency

**MINE EXPLOSION
KILLS 14 MEN**

DREADFUL ACCIDENT AT JUMBO
MINE NEAR ANTLES.

Antlers, Okla., Nov. 28.—Six hundred persons were gathered at the mouth of the Jumbo mines, twenty miles north of this city, this afternoon, part of them mourning for relatives who are entombed in the mines and part of them working with might and main to recover the bodies from their 290-foot grave. At 6 o'clock the bodies were recovered, and the greater part of the crowd dispersed. One man was taken out alive.

Nine men were entombed in the mine when an explosion wrecked it at 7:20 o'clock Monday morning, and five others just starting down to work were hurled 200 feet above the shaft into the air, and came down mere wrecks of humanity.

How the explosion occurred is a mystery. The only plausible explanation is a combination of the formation of gas and a bad lamp, but no danger from this source ever had been considered, and many claim to doubt it.

The mine men who were entombed had started to their work at 7 o'clock having succeeded the regular night shift at that time. Five men had just started their descent to the working level when with a roar that was heard for miles around, the entire area under which the mine is located appeared to sink down.

The cage which had started down, was hurled 200 feet above the mouth of the shaft, all its occupants being killed instantly. Those who were in the cage at the time were:

J. W. Carpenter, Richard Palmer, Charles Self, Will Brown and W. Z. Jones.

The nine men buried in the mine are: Henry Self, Dan McCarthy, J. W. Gould, Fars Lax, Thomas Stephens, Oland Malone, William Hawkins, J. W. Gillenwater and Gerrold Roberts was taken out alive.

A. M. Dougherty dropped dead in the telephone office at 9 o'clock from heart disease, caused by the excitement shortly more than an hour before.

**W. C. MEASURING
PARTY A SUCCESS**

Last evening at the I. O. O. F. hall the Woodmen Circle ladies gave another of their enjoyable entertainments. The invitations read as follows:

A Measuring Party is given to you, 'Tis something novel as well as new, With the invitation is the sack, For use in bringing or sending back Three cents for every foot you're tall Measure yourself on door or wall; An extra cent for each inch give, And thereby show how high you live, With light refreshments, games and pleasure, We'll greet you for your price of measure.

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Miss Allie Hughey stood at the entrance of the reception hall and received the filled sacks of measurement. Mrs. Wetherington assisted in measuring those who were not prepared with sacks. The reception committee then received their wraps and escorted them to their seats. Then a short musical program was rendered. Then a short explanatory talk on what the entertainment was given for and that we had games prepared. After the games Mrs. Kile passed around daintily prepared booklets entitled "Study in inches." Mrs. Meadows then brought out a tempting looking cake and said there was something very valuable in the cake and the one guessing correctly would receive the cake.

Another amusing contest was guessing the circumference of a pumpkin. After all had had a chance at guessing Mrs. Kile awarded first and second prizes to the best and poorest answers. Refreshments were served and all expressed themselves as having spent an enjoyable evening.

KEEP YOUR HEAD UNCOVERED.

The Constant Wearing of a Hat Propagates Dandruff Germs.

There are many men who wear their hats practically all the time when awake, and are blessed with a heavy shock of hair; yet if the scalps of these same men once became infested with dandruff germs, the parasites would multiply all the quicker for lack of air. Baldness would ensue as the final result. Newbro's Herpicide kills these germs and stimulates unhealthy hair to abundant growth. Herpicide is a pleasant hair dressing as well as a dandruff cure and contains not an atom of injurious substance. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

ONE DOLLAR BOTTLES GUARANTEED

RAMSEY DRUG CO.

**WARNER'S AT THE
PASTIME TONIGHT**

All roads lead to the Pastime Theatre where hundreds were entertained last night by those vaudeville artists "The Two Warners" in their laughable sketch entitled "Love at



First Sight" or "Stung in the Park." There is not one dull moment from start to finish. Much credit must be given little Miss Ethel Warner for well does she deserve the title of the vaudeville nightingale when she renders her various selections. A com-



plete change of program is scheduled for tonight and the manager predicts a record breaking attendance. The two Warners will appear tonight in their novel specialties including Spanish and Buck dancing, funny songs and comic sayings, and will render for the first time in your city that beautiful song entitled "Down in Ok-



lahoma Where the Cotton Blossoms Bloom." In connection with this high class vaudeville 2000 feet of motion pictures entitled "A Victim of Hate" and "The Moving Picture Man." All this goes to make up a superb entertainment that cannot afford to be missed.

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Governors Meet Today.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 28.—The public has taken such an interest in the governors' conference beginning here tomorrow that it may be necessary to make some important changes in the program. Secretary William G. Jordan has been deluged with letters suggesting matters of discussion and action the writers deem should be taken. Many of these are from cranks but as several of them are sound argument, cognizance will be taken of them in a meeting of the program committee to be appointed early tomorrow.

Four of the chief executives arrived today, but the majority will come tomorrow morning, several having spent the night in Louisville. Plans for entertainment have been made on a scale befitting the reputation of Kentucky's hospitality. Each governor will have an automobile at his disposal during his stay. Complete plans for entertainment of the first ladies of the twenty-four states to be represented have been made.

The opening will begin by an address of welcome by Gov. Wilson, followed by one by Mayor Polsgrove of Frankfort. These will be responded to by Gov. A. J. Pothier of Rhode Island. Gov. Elect Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey will make an address the first day.

The governors will go to Louisville Wednesday morning, where they will hold conference until Saturday.

The Chapman Wood Yard has plenty of good wood on hand, dry and green. Orders given prompt attention. P. C. load \$1.50. Back of court house.

To Play Championship Game. Norman, Ok., Nov. 28.—Oklahoma University will play a post-season football game. Though having defeated some of the strongest teams of the Southwest, she must defeat Epworth University before claiming the state championship. By comparative scores Epworth University at Oklahoma City claims the football championship of the state, she having defeated the Oklahoma Aggies 15 to 0, while the university was only able to defeat them 12 to 0. To settle the dispute as to the football championship of the state, the university will meet Epworth at Oklahoma City next Saturday in a post-season game.

It is hard to figure out just where Epworth stands, as she was defeated early in the season by the Oklahoma Christian University squad, yet she has beaten two comparatively strong teams, the Oklahoma A. and M. and the Texas Christian University, the latter of whom she overwhelmed 30 to 0.

The University team has been gaining in strength from the very beginning of the season, she having lost only one game, and that with the University of Missouri, and her recent victory over the University of Texas at Austin would seem to indicate if comparative scores are of worth, that Oklahoma is much superior to Epworth. Last year, however, Epworth held the Varsity squad 12 to 0, and she claims a stronger team this year than that of last.

Oklahoma is in splendid fighting shape, and has recently added four very strong men to her team, Burton, Reeds, Coots and Hoot, all four of whom made their 'O's' in the recent Texas Thanksgiving game.

Although a post-season game, it is expected to be the hardest fought and biggest football battle in Oklahoma this year, as it will settle definitely just who are the state champions.

An African Trip In the Niger Region.

The Benue river country is a complete failure for fresh fruit, in the dry season at least. Our visions of bananas hanging in large bunches along the river banks, oranges waiting to be gathered, pineapples springing out of the ground, and dozens of new and luscious kinds of fruits to vary one's meals, vanishes like a mirage in the desert. These fruits will grow there, but do not grow spontaneously to any extent. We saw not an orange above Onitsha on the lower Niger, and I remember no bananas above Lokoja, though they evidently have them in the rainy season. The only kinds of fruit we secured on that Benue river trip were limes—with which we made kind of lemonade—pawpaws, both ripe and green, and plantains. Frequently we would find none of these for days at a time. Our canned fruit and fruit jams were heavily drawn on because of this unforeseen lack. I remember with pleasure one circumstance before leaving America a friendly woman had contributed, as her offering toward the trip, a quantity of dried apples. In view of our ideas about fruit in Africa we seriously considered leaving them to some of our acquaintances at home, but, having some space in our boxes, we put them in. A part of these apples slipped through every repacking we made on our journey, including the last close sifting we made at Lokoja, where we left part of our goods in store to be drawn on by the two men who were to remain longest. I remember yet the pleasant surprise we experienced on finding these apples in the course of an inventory we were taking in view of our fruit

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Jersey cow for sale. Call at Smith's furniture store. 199-4td

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LOST—Oval shaped cuff button engraved "N". Return to News office and get reward.

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FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. Also a three room house. Mrs. S. M. White, 13th and Townsend. 128-1td

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